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THE
TORPEDO'S
BLASTING AT ME
ON ONE SIDE--HIS
DOUBLE ATTACKING
ON THE OTHER!

WHICHEVER WAY
I TURN--I'M
DOOMED!

TWO AGAINST THE
CHAMELEON!

He dwells in eternal night—but the blackness is filled with sounds and scents, tastes and textures other men cannot perceive. For though attorney **MATT MURDOCK** is *blind*, his other four senses function with *superhuman sharpness*—his uncanny *radar sense* guides him over every obstacle! He stalks the streets by night, a relentless red-garbed foe of evil!

Stan Lee PRESENTS: **DAREDEVIL, THE MAN WITHOUT FEAR!**

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THE **UNEXPECTED** STRUCK ONCE AGAIN, TODAY WHEN FAMED HERO, THE MAN CALLED **DAREDEVIL**, **SHOT THREE POLICEMEN TO DEATH** FOR APPARENTLY **NO REASON!**

THE **MACABRE** AND **GRISLY DEED** OCCURRED DIRECTLY OUTSIDE NEW YORK'S **CITY HALL**, AFTER **DAREDEVIL** HAD ACCEPTED A COMMENDATION FOR HIS RECENT **BATTLE** WITH THE INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL KNOWN AS **MIND.WAVE!**

NEO-DISTRICT ATTORNEY **BLAKE TOWER** HAS SWORN THAT HIS OFFICE WILL NOT **REST** UNTIL **DAREDEVIL** IS **CAPTURED** AND **PLACED BEHIND BARS!**

WHAT? DID YOU HEAR WHAT I THOUGHT I JUST HEARD, HEATHER?

HE JUST SAID THAT **DAREDEVIL'S A MURDERER!**

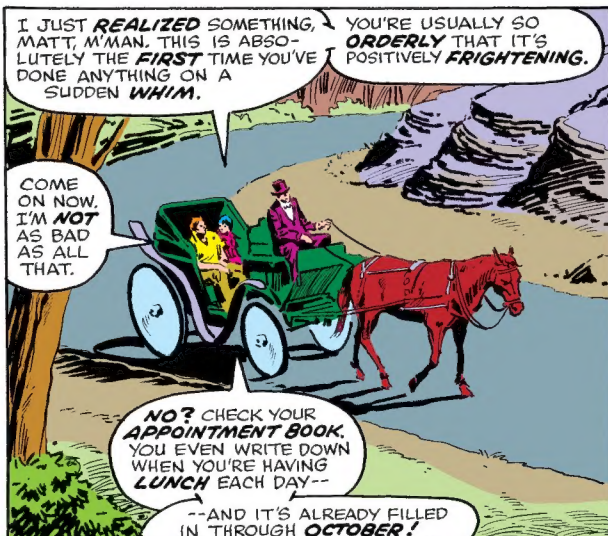
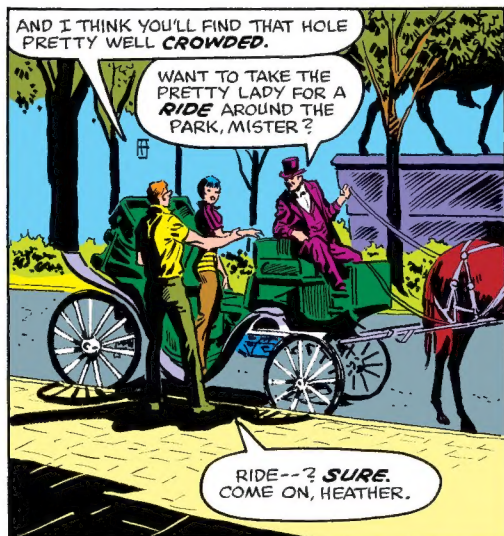
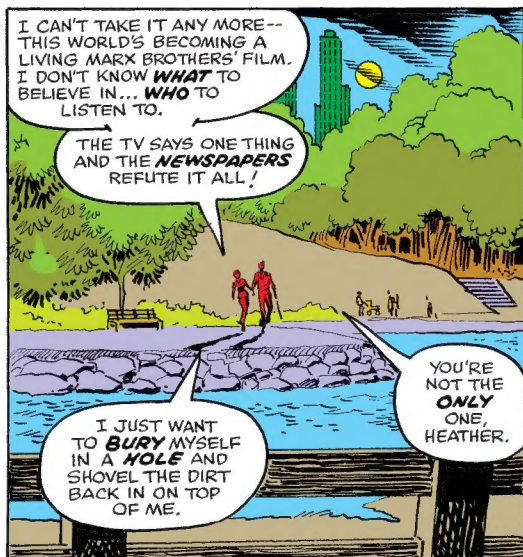
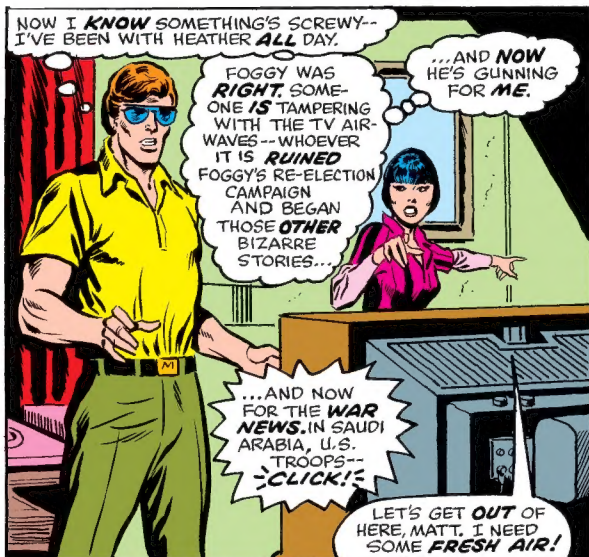
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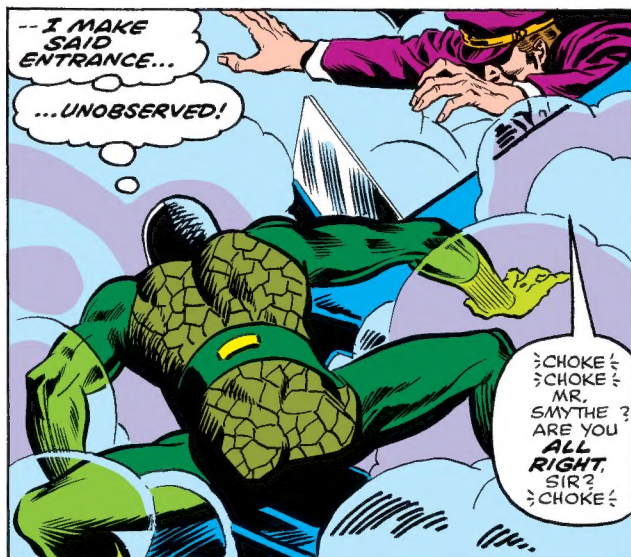
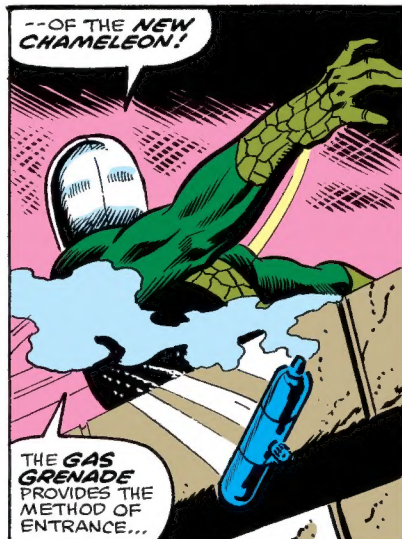
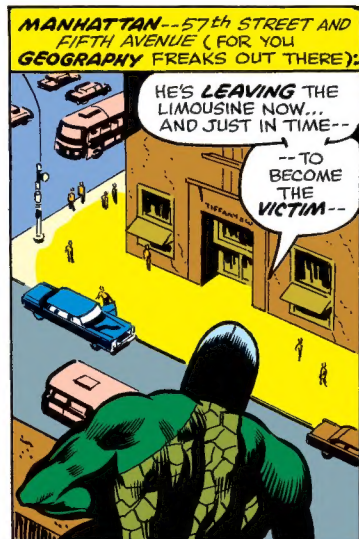
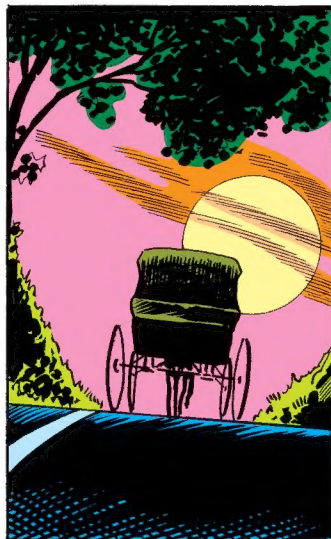
TURN OFF THE SET, MATT! I CAN'T STAND LISTENING TO IT ANYMORE!

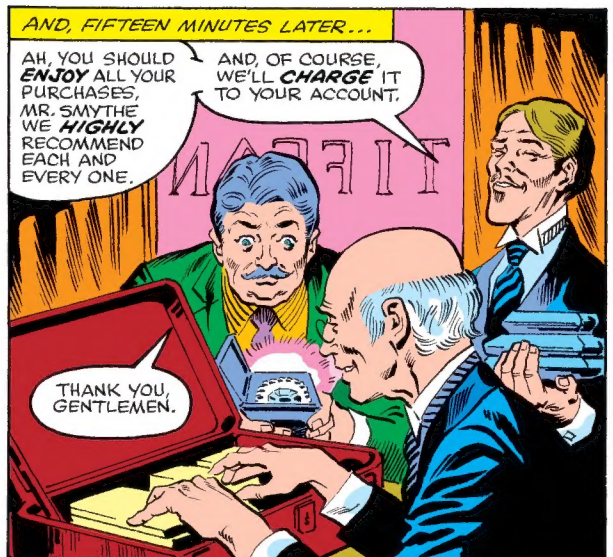
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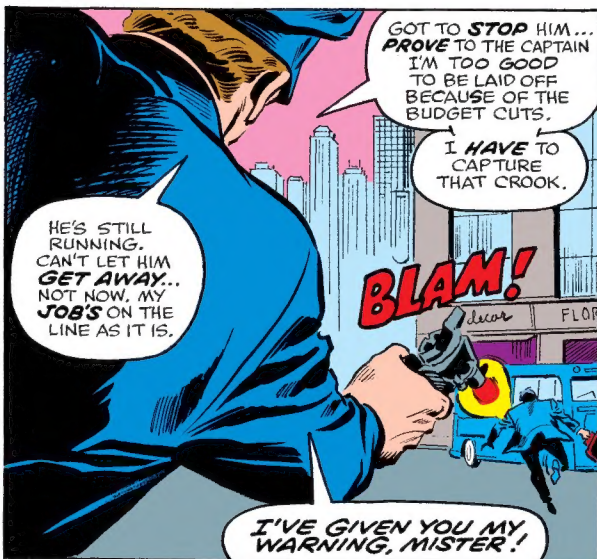
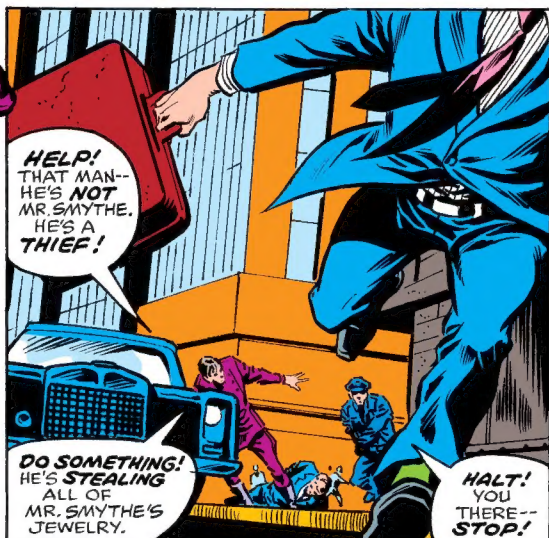
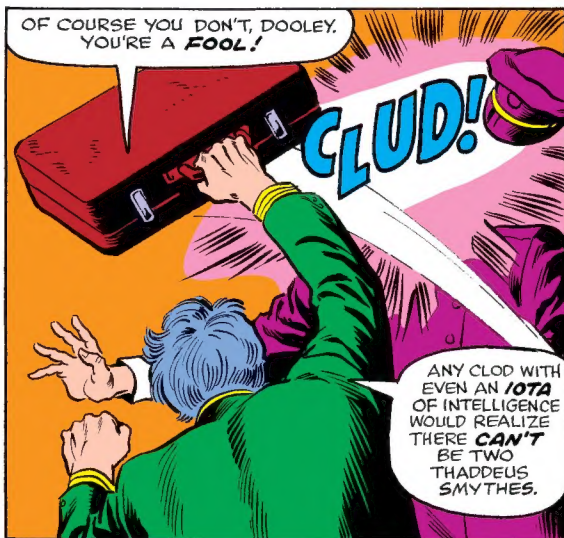
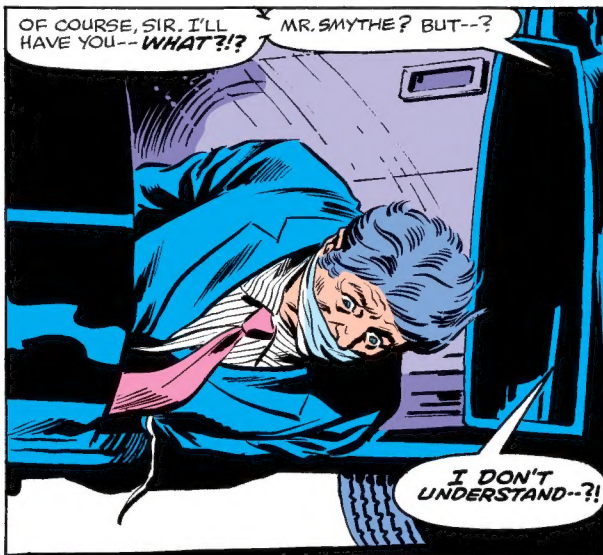
THAT'S TROUBLE WITH A CAPITAL 'T' WHICH RHYMES WITH 'D' THAT STANDS FOR **DAREDEVIL!**

AND THAT, DEAR MARVELITE, IS ONLY THE BEGINNING OF THIS BATTLING BLOCKBUSTER









I GAVE UP BEING THE TORPEDO AFTER THAT **LAST** BRUSH WITH DISASTER.*

YET THOSE FEW **HOURS**--THEY WERE THE **ONLY** TIME IN YEARS THAT I FELT I WAS **SOMEONE** AGAIN...I FELT LIKE I DID WHEN I PLAYED IN THE **SUPER-BOWL**.

BEFORE I BECAME THIS DRIP-DRIED PERMANENT-PRESSED **SMILE** FOR DELMAR INSURANCE.

I **CAN'T** TAKE UP THE COSTUME AGAIN...

...OR **CAN** I?

*DD*127.-- MW.

A **DECISION** IS QUICKLY MADE, FOR, JUST MOMENTS LATER...

FRANKY-- **LOOK!** SOMEONE'S **COMIN'** AT US. ISN'T HE--?

YEAH, MIKEY-- IT'S **HIM** ALL RIGHT. IT'S THE GUY CALLED **THE TORPEDO!**

HE FOUGHT DAREDEVIL A COUPLE MONTHS BACK-- **BEFORE** THAT SCARLET CREEP BECAME A STINKING **MURDERER!**

MAYBE **NOW** HE'S TEAMED UP WITH HORNHEAD.

TORPEDO-- **DON'T** MOVE! I'M CALLIN' YOU DOWN!

YOU **HEAR** ME?

HE'S NOT STOPPIN', MIKEY. HE'S COMING RIGHT AT US!

WE GOT NO CHOICE. **FIRE!**

FOOLS! I'M NOT THE CRIMINAL-- THAT CLOWN **THERE** IS.

I'M HERE TO **STOP** HIM.

BAM!

HE'S BUSTING THROUGH US-- ESCAPIN'!

WHICH BRINGS US BACK TO THE **STAR** OF THIS MAG...

AFTER THAT RIDICULOUS **NEWS REPORT** I NEEDED SOMETHING LIKE THIS--TO CALM ME DOWN BEFORE I **SMASHED** MY WAY INTO TOWER'S OFFICE.

THAT **SOUND**... COMING FROM FIFTH AVENUE.

HE'S **GOT** TO KNOW THAT DAREDEVIL'S INNOCENT. HE MUST--**HOLD IT!**

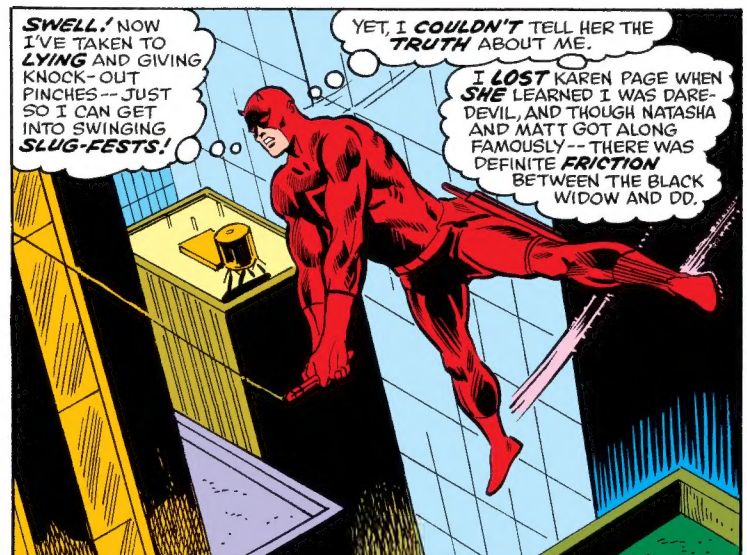
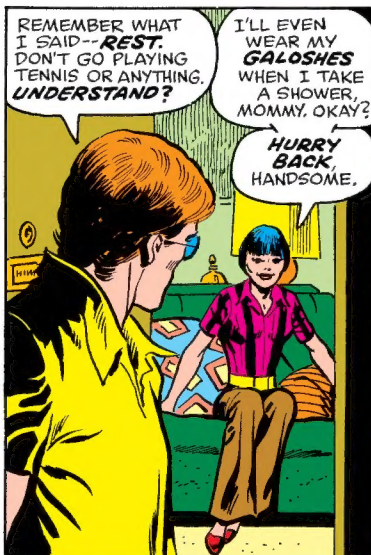
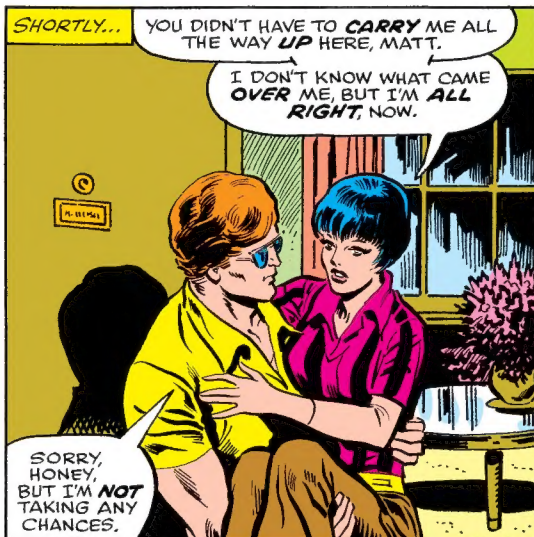
WHAT'S WRONG, MATT? DID YOU **HEAR** SOMETHING?

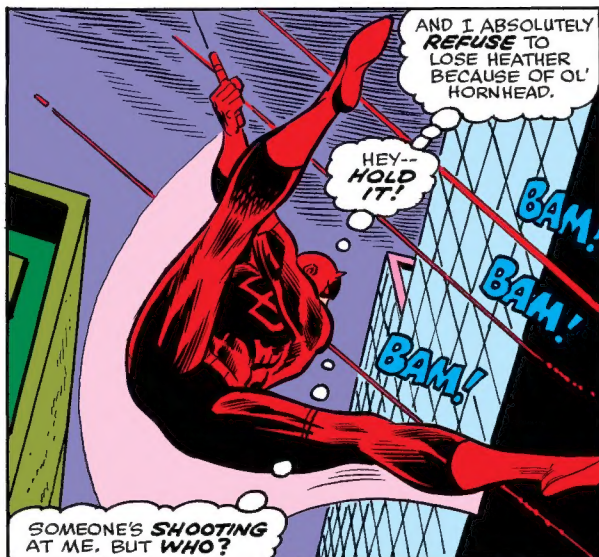
UH, **NOTHING**, HEATHER. I JUST **THOUGHT** I DID.

I HATE **LYING** TO HER, BUT SHE'S BETTER OFF **NOT** KNOWING THE TRUTH ABOUT ME.

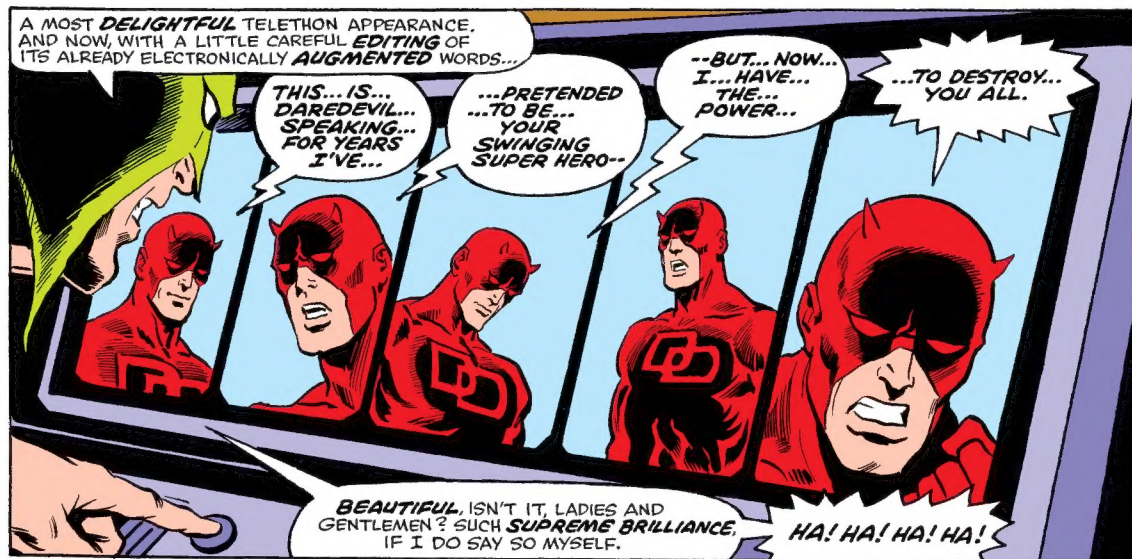
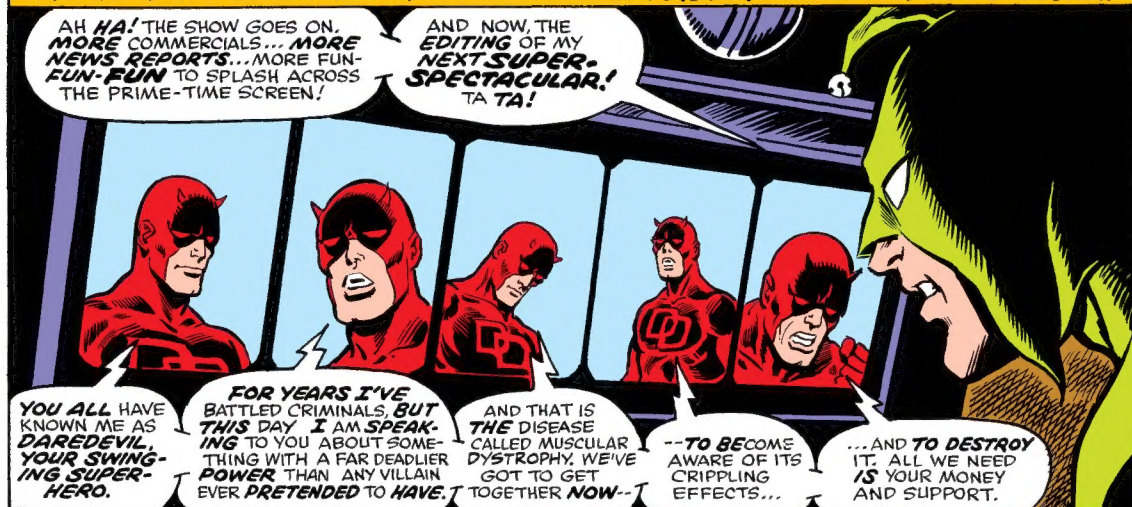
STILL, I'M **NOT** MISTAKEN ABOUT THAT SOUND--IT'S THE **JET ENGINES** OF-- THE **TORPEDO**.

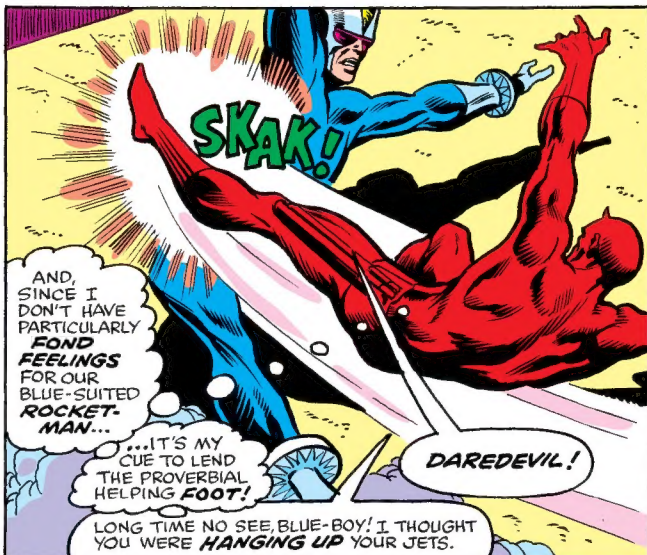
HE MUST BE **BACK**... WHICH MEANS DAREDEVIL'S NEEDED -- **NOW!**





AND, SPEAKING OF THOSE NEWS REPORTS, LET US LOOK IN ON THEIR CREATOR--THE INSIDIOUS, JEERING--JESTER!





SO MUCH FOR POLICE HEADQUARTERS. LET'S NOW **RETURN** TO OUR FIGHT, ALREADY IN PROGRESS...

DON'T KNOW WHAT'S **GOING ON**, AN' FRANKLY, I DON'T **CARE!**

WHILE THOSE TWO SMASH EACH OTHER TO **PULP**, ALL I GOTTA DO IS MAKE ANOTHER **CHANGE...**

...AN' **FINISH** TESTING OUT THIS NEW **COSTUME** IN TIME FOR MY **BIG PLAN!**



YOU'RE A **FOOL**, DARE-DEVIL... YOU **KNOW** THAT?

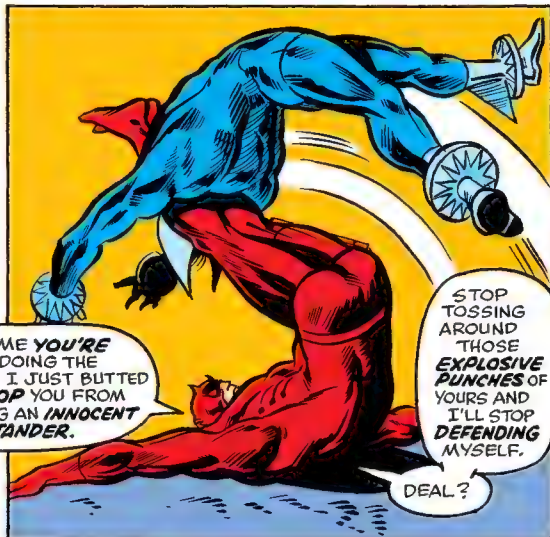
I DON'T KNOW HOW YOU MANAGED TO CONVINCE EVERYONE **OTHERWISE** FOR ALL THESE YEARS.



BUT YOU AREN'T GOING TO DO THAT TO **ME!** NOT NOW... **NOT EVER!**

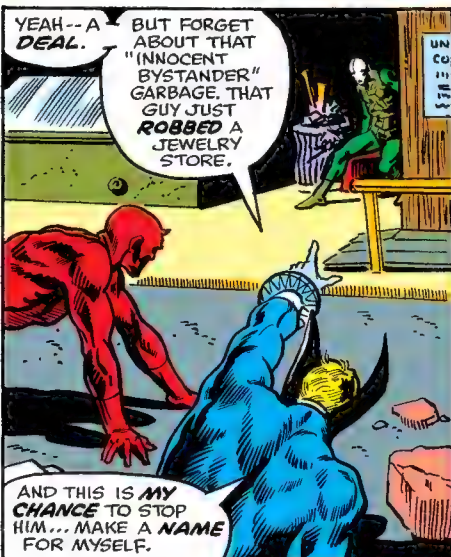
COME OFF IT, JET-HEAD! I NEVER SAID I WOULDN'T **LISTEN**.

THIS TIME **YOU'RE** THE ONE DOING THE FIGHTING. I JUST BUTTED IN TO **STOP** YOU FROM ATTACKING AN **INNOCENT BYSTANDER**.



STOP TOSSING AROUND THOSE **EXPLOSIVE PUNCHES** OF YOURS AND I'LL STOP **DEFENDING** MYSELF.

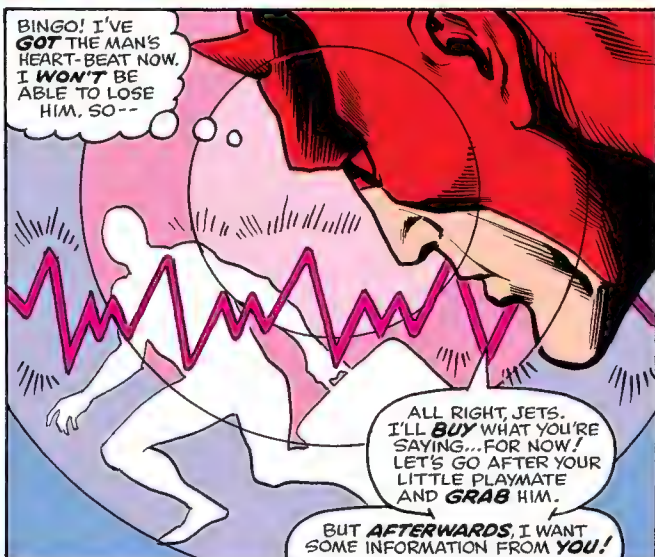
DEAL?



YEAH--A **DEAL**.

BUT FORGET ABOUT THAT "INNOCENT BYSTANDER" GARBAGE. THAT GUY JUST **ROBBED** A JEWELRY STORE.

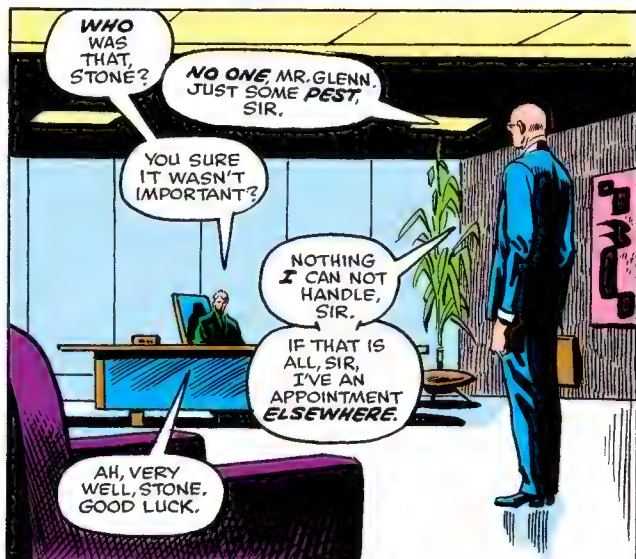
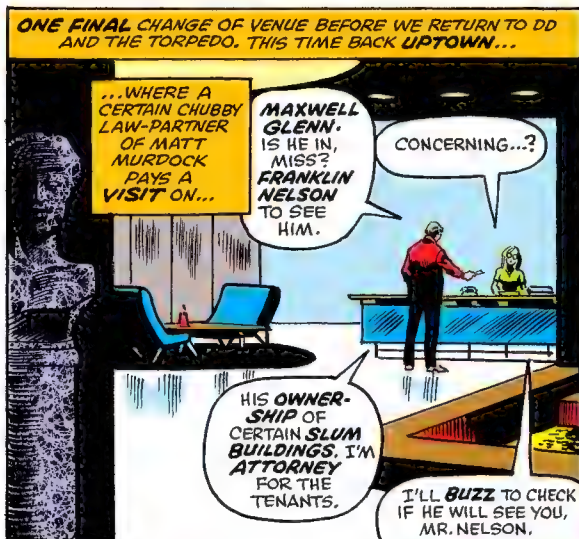
AND THIS IS **MY CHANCE** TO STOP HIM... MAKE A **NAME** FOR MYSELF.



BINGO! I'VE **GOT** THE MAN'S HEART-BEAT NOW. I **WON'T** BE ABLE TO LOSE HIM. SO--

ALL RIGHT, JETS. I'LL **BUY** WHAT YOU'RE SAYING...FOR NOW! LET'S GO AFTER YOUR LITTLE PLAYMATE AND **GRAB** HIM.

BUT **AFTERWARDS**, I WANT SOME INFORMATION FROM **YOU!**



THERE HE IS-- HEADING TOWARDS NATHAN'S.

I'VE GOT TO STOP HIM... TO PROVE MYSELF... TO FORCE PEOPLE TO **RECOGNIZE** ME AGAIN... AS THEY **ONCE** DID.

I'M SICK OF BEING A MEMORY ON A FADED FOOTBALL TRADING CARD-- I WANT TO BE SOMETHING **NOW... TODAY!**

Nathan's
Nathan's RESTAURANT

BLAST! HE'S INSIDE... AND I **CAN'T STOP** MYSELF IN TIME.

I **STILL** DON'T HAVE ENOUGH **CONTROL** OVER THIS COSTUME.

KRASSH

HEY! WHAT THE **HECK** D'YA THINK YER DOIN', MAN?

QUIET, KID. I'M HERE FOR A REASON...

...WHO SEEMS TO BE LONG **GONE**-- VANISHED IN THE MIDDLE OF A **MOB**. BUT **HOW?**

HE MUST BE **DOWN-STAIRS**... I **SHOULD** BE ABLE TO SPOT THAT WEIRD OUTFIT OF HIS.

OBOY! THIS IS **IT!** NOW I CAN'T EVEN EAT A HOT DOG WITHOUT BEING ASSAULTED.

I GOTTA GET OUTTA THIS CITY. I **JUST GOTTA!**

AWRIGHT! **AWRIGHT!** WHAT'S THIS COMMOTION ABOUT?

QUIET DOWN, THE LOT OF YOU!

AND YOU, ME FRIEND IN THE PLAY SUIT, DID YE, BY ANY CHANCE **BEGIN** THIS HERE CRAZINESS?

SUDDENLY...

WHAT ARE YOU **DOING**, JETS-- PLAYING GAMES!?! WHY HAVEN'T YOU **CAPTURED** HIM YET?

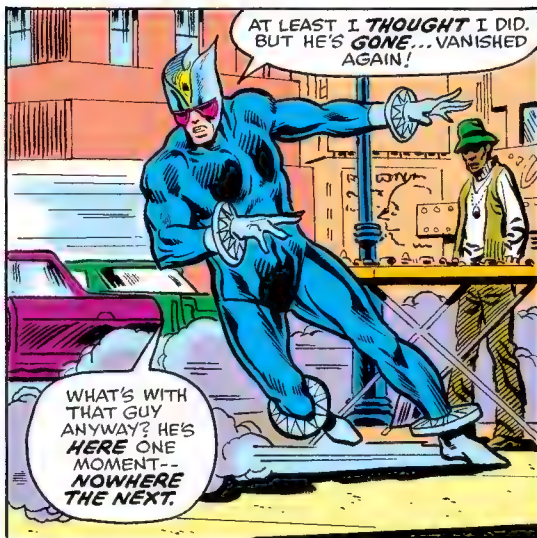
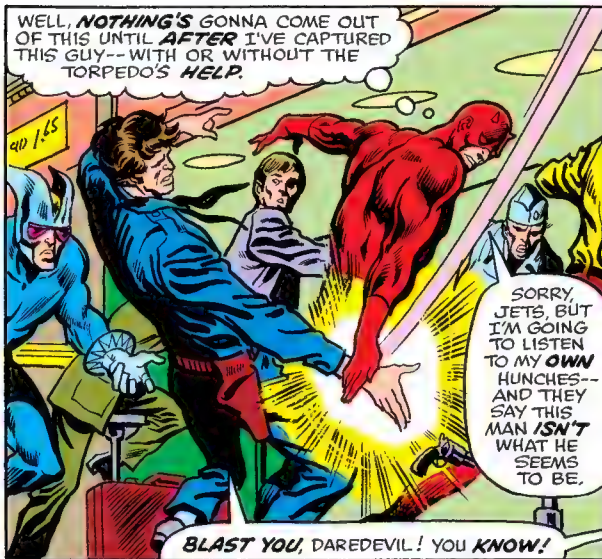
KLOD!

HAVE YOU GONE **CRAZY**, DAREDEVIL? THAT GUY'S A **COP!**

SOMETHING **IS** SCREWY HERE. THAT'S CERTAINLY OUR MAN'S **HEART BEAT...**

...YET THE **TORPEDO** INSISTS THAT IT'S SOMEONE **ELSE!**

IS HE **LYING?** ARE THEY IN **CAHOOTS?**





FINALLY GOT THROUGH THAT MOB--THEY WERE OUT TO **LYNCH** ME.

YEAH, I **HEARD** THAT LITTLE REPORT AND I WAS GONNA **ASK** YOU ABOUT IT.

LISTEN, JET--LET'S TAKE CARE OF **ONE** PROBLEM AT A TIME. **THEN** WE TALK.



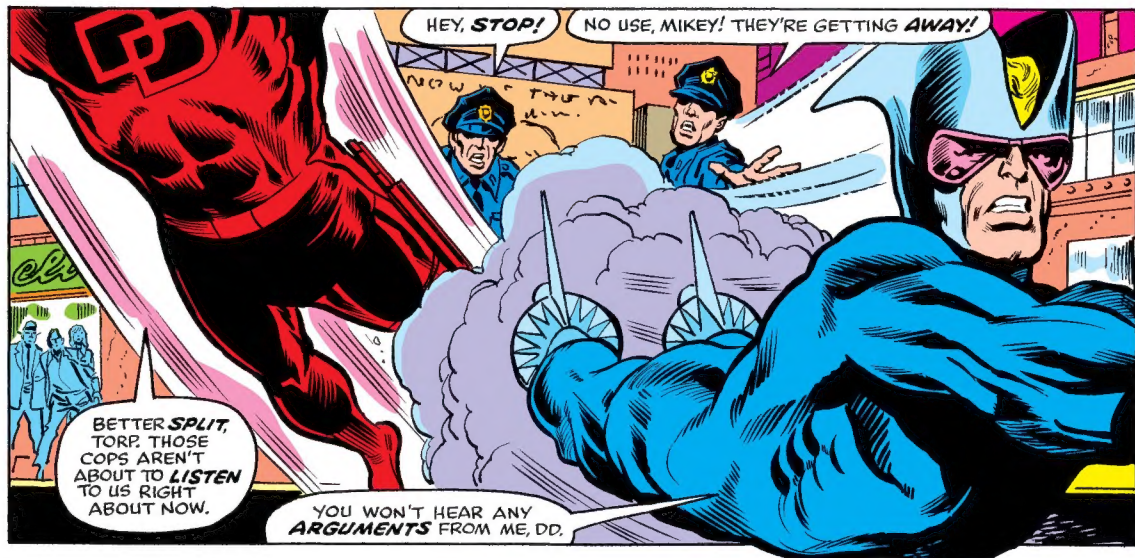
THEY HAVE ME... ONLY **ONE** CHANCE TO ESCAPE.

POLICE! POLICE! I'M BEING **ATTACKED!** **HELP!**

IT'S THE **TORPEDO**--

--WITH **DAREDEVIL!**

THAT **PROVES** IT! **HORNHEAD'S** GONE **BAD!**



HEY, **STOP!**

NO USE, MIKEY! THEY'RE GETTING AWAY!

BETTER **SPLIT**, TORP. THOSE COPS AREN'T ABOUT TO **LISTEN** TO US RIGHT ABOUT NOW.

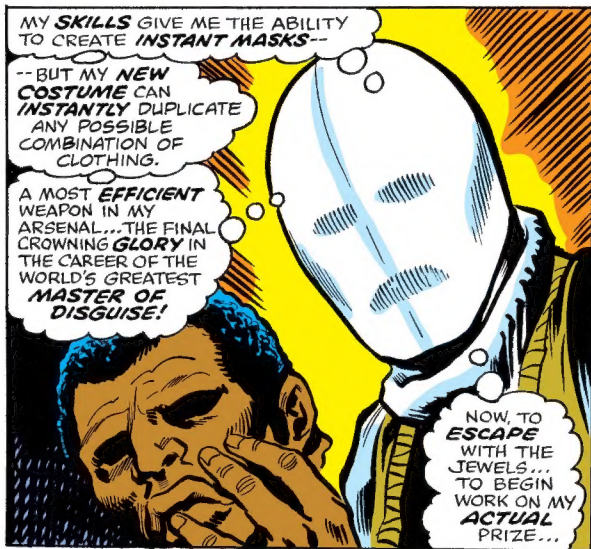
YOU WON'T HEAR ANY **ARGUMENTS** FROM ME, DD.



HA! HA! HA! THOSE TWO BUMBLING FOOLS ARE GONE... PROBABLY TOO **FRIGHTENED** TO RETURN.

BUT MORE IMPORTANT, I'VE **PROVEN** THAT MY NEW **COSTUME** **WORKS!**

EVEN FASTER THAN I HAD **HOPED** IT WOULD.

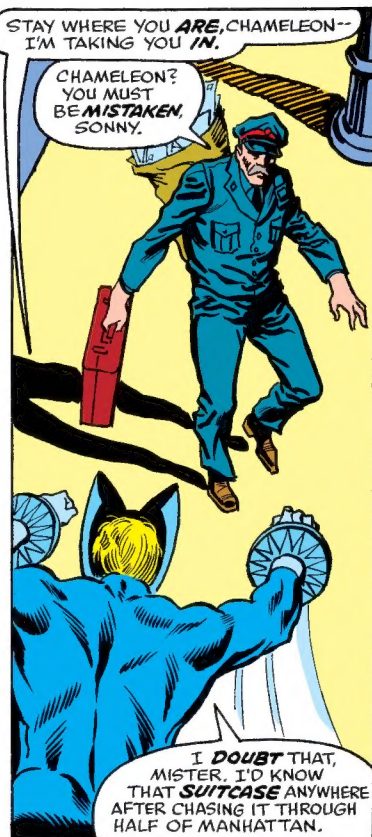
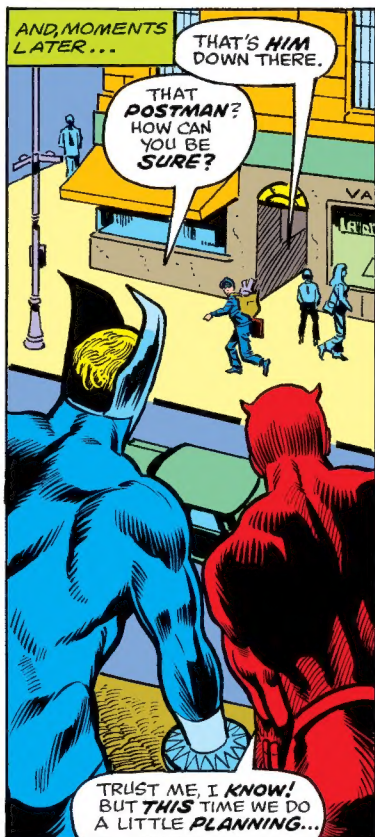


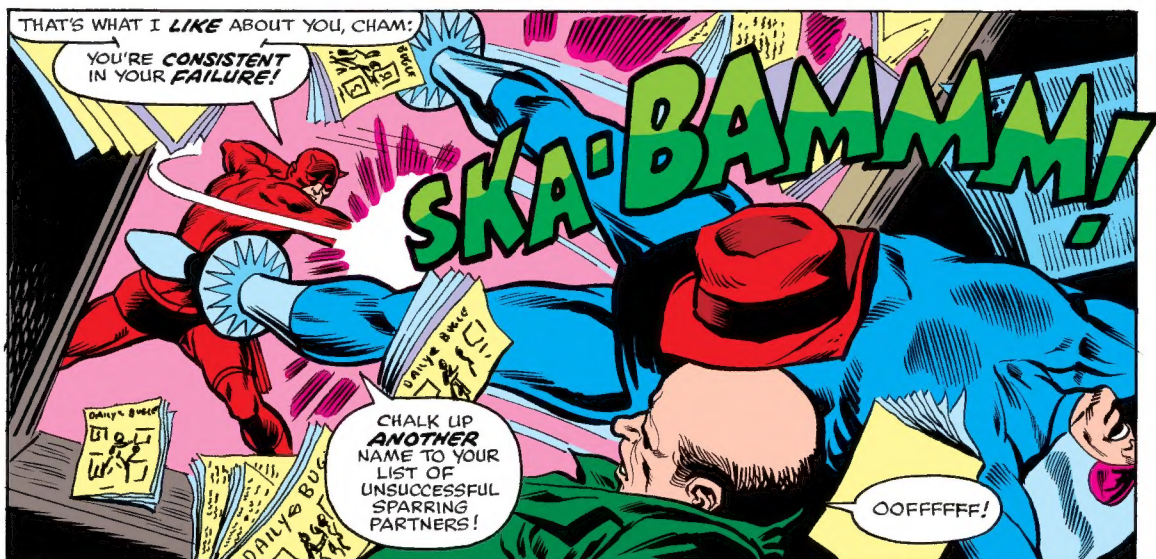
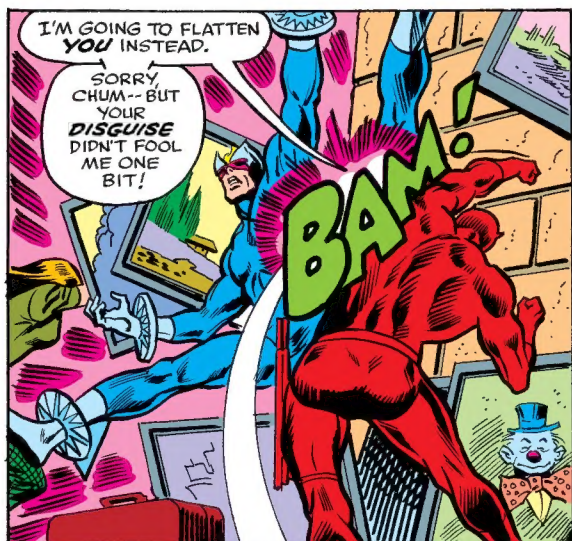
MY **SKILLS** GIVE ME THE ABILITY TO CREATE **INSTANT MASKS**--

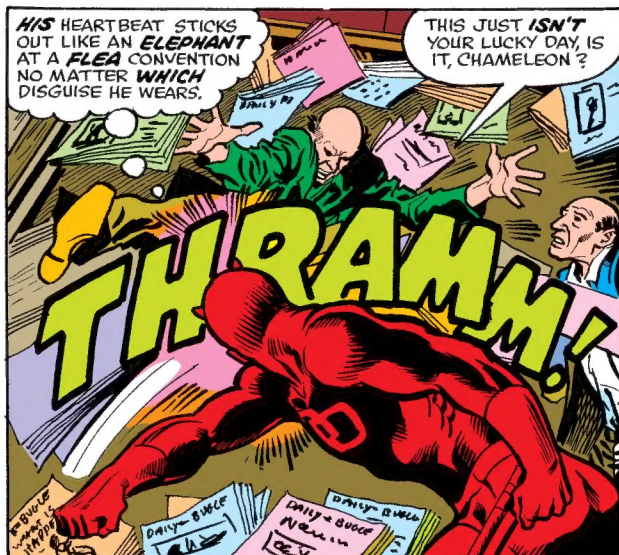
--BUT MY **NEW COSTUME** CAN **INSTANTLY** DUPLICATE ANY POSSIBLE COMBINATION OF CLOTHING.

A MOST **EFFICIENT** WEAPON IN MY ARSENAL... THE FINAL **CROWNING GLORY** IN THE CAREER OF THE WORLD'S GREATEST **MASTER OF DISGUISE!**

NOW, TO **ESCAPE** WITH THE **JEWELS**... TO BEGIN WORK ON MY **ACTUAL** PRIZE...







NEXT: THIS IS THE ONE YOU'VE BEEN WAITING FOR! **DAREDEVIL** VERSUS THE **JESTER!** YOU'VE GOT TO BE HERE!